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INDUSTRIAL COMMISSION VISITS MILLS

Five members of the Industrial Accident Commisson, appointed recently by Gov. John K. Tener to investigate and report to the Legislature, methods for the prevention of accidents to workmen in the different industries of the state, and to recommend laws providing for compensation to workmen injured, visited the Pittsburgh Steel plant, and were the guests of Superintendent George Nash at lunch today.

The Philadelphia members of the Commission expressed great surprise at the methods in use in this locality by the manufacturers to protect their workingmen from injury and were loud in their praises of many of the devices. It will be remembered that J. J. Cushing of this place was honored by Gov. Tener in being made a member of this Commission and he in company with four of the remaining six members made up the visiting party.

From here they left for Charleroi to visit the Macbeth-Evans Glass works and other industries of that town late this afternoon. They will return to Pittsburgh this evening as they still have a large amount of work to accomplish before the first public hearing on April 10 and 11 at Harrisburg.

Personal Workers to Meet

There will be a meeting of the "Personal Workers League" next Sunday at 3:15 p. m. in the Baptist church. All persons interested in the saving of souls are urged to be present, and all others are cordially invited.

The public is invited to come and hear those who have been led to Christ through the personal work of Pete Porter and others, tell what Christ had done for them.

Sewing Club Entertained

The Oneida sewing club was entertained on Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. R. Preston, First street and Reed avenue. A number of guests out side of the members were present and a delightful time was enjoyed by all. Lunch was served.

Seats Now on Sale

The seats for Mrs. Jarleys Waxworks show which is to be given under the auspices of the Presbyterian church are now on sale at Mikalarias and Berbatis confectionery. 45-tf

Easter Suits

See the new Fashion Clothes for young lads, 14 to 20 years

$15.00

This is the first season we could offer this famous make at this price. Stein Bloch English model Easter Suits

$18 to $30

M. MEYERS & SON

WORK BEGUN ON TELEPHONE LINE

Work has been started for the construction of the Independent telephone company from Belle Vernon to McMahan borough. Manager A. H. Lamb was down from California yesterday, and the stakes were placed for the line to enter the neighboring borough. This will bring the system to the borough line of Monessen. It is the intention to have the work in such shape within the next thirty days that orders will be taken and phones placed. No exchange will be built in McMahan as the system will be operated through the Belle Vernon central office. In a very short time now McMahan borough will have the advantage of a $1.00 a month residence rate.

Janavitz' Spring Opening

The annual opening at the Janavitz store last night was fully up to the standard of past years, and in the opinion of many it by far exceeded any previous showing. This popular store "up on Schoonmaker" was crowded last night and the "tour of inspection" was continued until a late closing hour. The line of ladies and children's suits, coats, waists, dresses, etc., as well as millinery, on display, was of the most creditable in every respect, there being variety sufficient to meet the tastes of all and prices just right. The arrangement was good, showing most excellent taste by the assistants as well as the department heads. Everything was in the most attractive form, the store was light and courteous attention shown visitors was of the attentive every-day sort, characeristic of this ever popular mart of fabric and fashion.

Killed by a Live Wire

John Phillips, a miner of Webster met death in the Elia mine of the United Coal Co., at Milesville early yesterday morning. The man was riding into the workings on a pit car, and his head coming in contact with a charge electric wire and he was instantly killed; he was 21 years of age.

Funeral of Mrs. Conroy

The funeral services of Mrs. Mary Conroy a former resident of this place took place yesterday morning at St. Joseph's Catholic church, New Kensington and the remains were shipped to Monongahela yesterday afternoon for interment at the Monongahela cemetery.

A Comfortable Shoulder Brace

One that does not continually bind — that contains no steels, is light and cool and so perfectly adjustable that the wearer need suffer no inconvenience except as an incorrect attitude is assumed. The Rexall Brace is sold only at our store—*The Rexall Store*. Price $1.00

Craig's Drug Store
461 Donner avenue.

NEW SPRING SHOES

For early spring we are now showing the new lasts and leathers which will be popular this year, among which you will find a particularly nice White Nubuck which can be washed with soap and water—Also Tans, White Duck, Velvet and Suede Boots all at prices from

$2.50 to $4.00

We Invite Your Inspection

Cowan's
508 Donner Avenue
Next Door to Monessen Savings and Trust Company

MONESSEN TO HAVE ONE BREATHING SPOT OR FLOWER PARK

Monessen is sure of at least one improved park the coming summer. The Board of Trade had for some time been working to encourage the P. & L. E. railroad people to improve their plat of ground adjoining the station. The local agent, A. G. Dunlap started the ball rolling last season and had positive assurance that the spot would be beautified early this spring. Mr. Dunlap at one of the meetings last season said that the company had very little encouragement to go farther with their efforts to beautify the town as there had been no spirit of appreciation manifested on the part of the town authorities to keep the grounds in good condition.

People were permitted to walk over the plat as though it were commons and dogs used the property for playgounds. However he said if the town will give the company some protection from these annoyances, Mr. Dunlap said he would urge the improvements. The preliminary steps were taken and to make assurance doubly sure Secretary C. L. Schuck wrote to Col. Schoonmaker regarding the matter and received the following reply:

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 21, 1912
C. L. Schuck, Secretary
Board of Trade
Monessen, Pa.
My Dear Sir:—

I beg to acknowledge yours 18th inst. relating to improvement of company's property on Donner avenue between 7th and 8th streets in manner indicated by you, and to advise that General Manager Yohe has been instructed to comply with your suggestion as soon as weather conditions permit.

Yours very truly,
J. M. Schoonmaker.

PREPARATORY CHURCH SERVICES

There will be preparatory services in the Presbyterian church this evening beginning at 7:30. Preaching by the Rev J. H. Rodgers. The Session will meet after the services to complete all arrangements for a public reception into christian fellowship with the church on the 24th. All those who have not yet met with the Session, who have signified their intention of uniting with the Presbyterian church, are requested to meet with the Session tomorrow evening after the preaching services. All the members should endeavor to be present at the Friday evening and Sabbath morning services.

It is thought that the side wheel packet I. C. Woodward may be withdrawn from winter quarters and placed in service between Pittsburgh and Fairmont and Morgantown. The packet Greendale now makes one through trip between these points every week and it is said that under the new arrangement, three weekly trips will be made.

TWO BIG 7's

Easter is April 7th Also there are even big reasons why your EASTER SUIT should be made by the Royal Tailors. Come in and we'll show you the 7 reasons

C. L. Lewis
408 Donner—with Keefer and Robbins
Agency for Made to Order Shirts

FOUND

A place where parents can send their children with safety to have their dental work done, feeling sure that they will be in safe hands, and be well taken care of, and get the best treatment possible.

Philadelphia Dental Rooms
Next to Olympic Theatre.

SEE THE KIDDIES AT STAR THEATRE

A corking good bill is on the boards at the Star for the remaining two days of the week and a matinee will be given on Saturday afternoon for the special benefit of the children. The Irmenia Duo, in a novelty balancing act were very good and won a goodly share of applause by their clever and difficult feats. "Dot" Stone, singing comedienne, in a repertoire of popular song was the second act and she certainly made good with her end. The Nine Jolly Juveniles are next and they certainly deserved every bit of the applause they received last evening. These little tots ranging in age from 5 to 12 years have a way about them that makes one forget they are but children. Their acting and singing is nothing short of marvelous and the costuming is just what little girls their age look best in, and is varied and dainty. The act has its own musical director and every move is made as smooth as though a piece of clockwork. Excellent moving pictures close a bill that should see packed houses for the remaining performances.

Bill Bumbaugh will act as interlocutor again this year in the Elk's Minstrels. 45-3t

WANTED—One or two lady solicitors. Good salary and steady position. Apply to William Welber, Manager People's store. 45-3t

Olympic Theatre
MONESSEN, PA.
Friday Night, Saturday Afternoon, Saturday Night

Gallagher & Wayne
Present their Lively Comedy
Memories of By-Gone Days
With 10 Happy Youngsters
The Biggest Show Yet
Pretty Girls Real Comedians
Good Singing and Dancing

Extra Added Attraction
The Pfeil Sisters
Featuring Baby Anna

Laugh Dont miss this show if you Laugh

Monessen Savings & Trust Co.

Since this bank began business its total net earnings have been $127,363.42, from which the stockholders have received $48,000.00 in dividends, and the balance, $79,363.42, has gone back into the working capital of the business to increase the protection and security of depositors. The stockholdess now have invested in this business $229,363.42, every dollar of which is for the protection of its depositors. This is in line with this bank's policy to give first consideration to the interests and protection of its customers. Your Account is Invited.

E. M. FRYE, Pres. J. HOWARD KELLY, Treas.
T. S. ADAMS, Asst. Treas.

GOOD BASKET BALL GAME THIS EVENING

This evening at the Christian church Gym. the Y. M. B. C. team will hook up with the Charleroi Scholastics and a good game is sure to be the result as both teams are confident of coming out on the big end of the score. The Scholastics is one of the strongest teams in Charleroi and their record this season has been an enviable one.

The game this evening will be called promptly at 8 o'clock and will be in the hands of competent officials. An admission fee of ten cents will be charged. Following the main attraction there will be a game between two picked teams of youngsters. This game should prove a big drawing card as the youngsters are pretty good passers.

Opening at Safier's Now on

Yesterday evening the spring opening began at the Safier store and will continue today and tomorrow. The attendance was large last night and the display was pleasing to all. Mr. Safier this season has gathered in the finest and most complete lines of goods he has ever had in his store and the quality and price range is such that all may be suited. Ladies and children can be fitted out in the season's newest and best and feel just right for Easter. The attention given visitors and patrons at this store is always the most courteous and all should aim to get in before the opening closes.

Notice

The box office will be open at 12:00 noon Monday March 25th. Tickets will not be reserved by phone for Elk's Minstrels. 45-3t

Schlup's Opening Next Week

The grand spring opening of the Schlup store will be on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week. There will be a musical program and souvenirs will be given to ladies This will be a feature affair and all should attend as the showing will be really worth while.

Hans Wagoner is the greatest ball player, but the Elk's Minstrels will be the greatest show held in Monessen this year. 45-3t

THE ELKS' MINSTREL A HUMMER

The Elk's Minstrel show this year will surpass anything ever attempted in Monessen in the minstrel line. Instead of the old time minstrel first part as has been the custom in previous years there will be a grand military act depicting the actual scenes of the U. S. soldiers at Ft. Wyoming. At the rise of the curtain the soldiers are seen sleeping on the ground while Indians perform a grotesque ghost dance around them.

Some of the ghost shirts worn in the dance are actually taken from the bodies of dead Indians at the battle of Wounded Knee near the Pine Ridge reservation. Capt. Wellington of Company B, portrayed by J.J. Cushing, has received a communication from his daughter stating that she will pay him a visit at the fort and he has engaged Docstoders famous minstrel troup to entertain her. Lou Docstoder arrives and gives a regular old time performance of minstrelsy.

Bill Bumbaugh will act as Lou Docstoder, Whitie Smith, Sam Wagoner, Roger Richards, Lee Vaughn and Jack Stevenson, will act as End Men. Geo. Helmboldt, Luther Bolig and J. K. Boyd soloist and Miss Regina Stevenson, as the captain's daughter, will be royally entertained by the minstrel troup.

There will be vaudeville acts while the boys are getting ready for the comedy after-piece entitled "Sazzie the base drum soloist." If you never laughed in your life you will laugh when you see this. It will be one of the funniest after-pieces ever staged by the Elks.

Rube Watkins will put over that hit of two years ago "The Old Deacon." Bill McShaffrey as "Harry Slip" the sleepy messenger boy, and you know how Mac brings down the house with his comedy.

Jack Keefer as director, is rehearsing the boys and he claims that this show will be the best ever given by the Elks in Monessen. Tickets exchanged Monday March 25th at noon at the Star Positively no exchanges made by phone. 1t

JUST STUDY THE

lines of this suit a little; note the length and shape of the lapel; the shape of the waist line; the general classy look of it in detail. It's one of our spring models and is particularly a suit for young men and men who want to stay young. In all the new fabrics, weaves and colorings.

Suits $10 to $25

Spring Shirts
Fresh from the looms, guaranteed colors
$1.00, $1.50, $2.00

Spring Hats
New nifty shapes in rough or smooth finishes
$1.50 to $3.50

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The Church and the League

"Great minds differ" is an axiom old almost as the world. But it might be said that all minds differ. They don't necessarily need to be great. The truth of this has been brought forth most forcibly locally since the recent revival services. Some of the social passtimes came in for a grilling by evangelists and pastors. Card playing and dancing were put down as worldly pleasures and classed as having no place in the christian life. These statements fell from the pulpit many times during the several weeks of the revivals. Some doubt this is true, others say it is right and so the difference of opinion still exists. One of the ministers preached a sermon taking as his theme" How to play ball and be a christian." From his standpoint such was and is possible, others say he is simply fitting christianity around a worldly passtime which provides more room for roudyism and gambling than all the other forms of amusement put together. They argue that he likes baseball but dislikes cards and dancing and he is ready to condemn the pleasures of others and preach himself to heaven on things he personally loves to indulge in. A pastor said it was a sin to go where or do what it is not possible to ask Gods blessing on.

Some say it would be sacrilege to ask Gods blessing on a ball game which is a known institution for gambling and whooping and yelling, where people go hysterical over a foul or a fair.

Locally these questions are all at issue since they have been raised by the church. There are those who believe the church is doing a great wrong in entering the diamond, they argue that the church of Christ should be retained as a spiritual institution and that while baseball is nothing more than a physical passtime it has nothing to do with the saving of souls. Many towns have banished church leagues for the reason that dissention crept in and crowded out the very thing the church stands for. A seasons games has been known to wind up in playing for prizes, with a bitter contest and often hard feelings. It is argued too that the church league has no more right to offer prizes than the one who conducts the afternoon card party at her own home where only neighbors and friends mingle in a friendly rivalry. There is argument here and all those who are prejudiced neither way can see the philosophy of it and will wonder why cards and dancing should be tabooded in the churches and not the church base ball league. The church as a spirtual institution should clear up these questions now in the minds of a great many. Has the league ever saved a soul is the question?

The Son, the Daughter

The kind of a life some of the young men of Monessen are leading is sure to bring the bitterest remorse in years that are yet to come. They flirt with morality and yield to brutish instincts and they have cultivated their brazen and beastly desires to such a degree that no mothers daughter is safe in their presence or their company. We have a number of cases where young girls have been led astray and have fallen prey to the lure of these villians. But there is a day when remorse comes and the interest of such a life is computed and instead of a life of worthy deeds the concience is filled with remorse over a life wrongly spent. Mothers are your daughters out with any such young men or are you watching the footsteps of the girl. There have been several young women of the town brought to shame recently through such associations and they will soon wonder why their standing among their associates is not as good as it was one day and they may strive to re-establish themselves but will be disappointed to find that it is harder to step up than down and no matter what they do or where they go the stain of sin will follow. It is better for a young man or young woman to plan to start life with the best of reputation for the battle is often hard enough even then.

A Palpable Stroke

A decision just handed down by the Interstate Commerce Commission rules that the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railroad Co., has been discriminating in its charges for hauling coal in the Pittsburgh district, and asked that they reduce their rate of charges from 88c to 78c a ton on coal haulage from this district to Lake Erie ports. Adjustment was also made to govern other roads, but that of the Lake Erie

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alone will mean a saving of $1,000,000 a year to lake port shippers. This is only another evidence of the good being done by the Interstate Commission in its dignified, quiet, but authorative way. It further shows that even the greater corporate bodies, the greater the need for a guardian or parent as it were, like the little child, to point out where its most flagrant errors are made and to suggest a better and more consistent way of doing things. Almost every day the Interstate Commerce Commission calls a halt on some wrong or injustice and points out a remedy therefor, thus proving its great worth as a commercial guardian.

THIS SPRING

If You Take Vinol Now You Will be Strong All Summer

"I can get along pretty well in the spring," said a feeble looking woman the other day "but the summer always pulls me down so much."

The trouble with her was that she did not know that she ought to prepare in spring to stand the summer—then she would get along all right.

Our delicious cod liver and iron remedy, Vinol, is the best spring medicine because it builds you up—makes you eat more and digest better—makes your blood rich and pure—puts healthy color in your cheeks.

Mr. P. O. Barker, of Bowen's Mill, Ga., writes "When I was badly run down last spring, I took Vinol in an effort to regain my health and strength, and it did not disappoint me. It made me feel as well as ever."

So, to all weak, pale, bloodless, run down people we say "Take Vinol this spring and be strong all summer." We guarantee Vinol to satisfy you and refund your money if it does not. Hirsch Drug Co., Monessen, Pa.

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Glasses Fitted
Monessen Pharmacy
Sheetz Bldg.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

Classified advertisements such as For Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Boarding and Lodging and all such advertisements will be run under this heading at the rate of a cent a word.

LOST—Gold watch pin, Thursday afternoon, reward if returned to 486 Reed avenue, up stairs. 46-2t

FOR RENT—A large front furnished room. Suitable for two men, 440 Schoonmaker avenue, between 4th and 5th streets. 42-tf

WANTED—Two experienced dining room girls. Inquire Grand Hotel. 40-tf

FOR SALE—at sacrifice, a Maxwell 40, in first class condition. Party must leave address S this office. 41-tf

FOR RENT—French hall, Third street. Inquire of Jean Martin or Eli Tueche. 11 tf

For Sale—Farm of 11 acres, good six room house and other out buildings, good well of water, gas and city water, 5 minutes walk from Borough line of Belle Vernon. Ask Frank Sevelli, 309 Schoonmaker. 26t

FOR SALE—New mahogany upright piano right from factory, sold everwhere for $300.00. Will be sacrificed for $175.00. Easy terms. First person meaning business will get the prize. Apply today, Independent office. 40-tf

FOR SALE—Six single comb white leghorn cockerels $1.00 each. One 144 egg Cyphers incubator, drop bottom. One 120 egg Cyphers incubator, both in good condition. Eggs for hatching $1.00 and $2.00 per setting incubator eggs $7.50 per hundred. George Sherwin, Monessen, Pa. 44-4t

FOR SALE—At a bargain to settle estate. Dinsmore brick works property at Naomi station, on P. and L. E. R. R. Brick works, 5 room house and 17 acres of land. Easy terms. Inquire of L. C. Dinsmore, Mcnongahela, Pa. 38-wed.-sat-6t-p

PEOPLES FORUM

This column is devoted to the expression of the opinion of our readers and in no wise denotes the paper's opinion on, or sympathy with, any question involved.

Dear Editor:—

Someone signing himself "A Reader" has been grave digging if I understand correctly what he says in a recent issue of your valuable paper.

We do not wish to charge ulterior motive, or heavy drinking when we do not know who the gentleman is; who was so indiscreet as to dig up the skeleton of the Independent Telephone Co., but are forced to say we think he was taking very long chances to so trifle with public sentiment that was buried two years ago.

Perhaps "A Reader" will give us some good reasons for supposing that the people who signed a petition to Council two years ago asking favorable action on the franchise ordinance of the Independent Telephone Co., would be of the same mind and accord at the present time.

The Reader might also let us know where he found his one and two dollar rates.

Certainly not in the ordinance offered two years ago which specified the maxium charge for service should not exceed $24.00 per year for residences, and $36.00 per year for business houses.

You might say they would not charge the maximum sum.

Before doing so however would suggest that you point out to me even one public service corporation that has not advanced their rates to the maximum (and then some) as soon as they thought they were safe in doing so.

As time rolls onward people change their minds, and the writer will venture the opinion that it would not be possible to again secure as large a list of names in favor of the Independent Telephone Co. as the one presented when the matter was up before.

Since that time the Bell Telephone Co. has made good its promise to improve their service, and has placed in Monessen a strictly up to date exchange where it handles your business with a care and dispatch that should be acceptable to any one (except a chronic kicker), and at as reasonable rates as could be expected when the many advantages enjoyed are given full consideration.

The Bell Telephone Co. do not claim to be a charitable institution, but do claim to be doing business in straighforward business like manner, rendering you a service and measuring you a fair charge for it.

Can the Independent Telephone Co. do more, and if so please state how, and why.

If you take away the wages of a laborer he will not work.

If you eliminate the profit, from any enerprise it will cease to exist.

Who would suffer if the Independent Telephone Co. should fail?

A Citizen.

DON'T BE BALD

Nearly Any One May Secure a Splendid Growth of Hair

We have a remedy that has aided to grow hair and prevented baldness in 93 out of 100 cases where used according to directions for a reasonable length of time. That may seem like a strong statement—it is, and we mean it to be, and no one should doubt it until they have put our claims to an actual test.

We are so certain Rexall "93" Hair Tonic will cure dandruff, prevent baldness, stimulate the scalp and hair roots, stop falling hair and grow new hair, that we personally give our positive guarantee to refund every penny paid us for it in every instance where it does not give entire satisfaction to the user.

Rexall "93" Hair Tonic is as pleasant to use as clear spring water. It is delightfully perfumed, and does not grease or gum the hair. Two sizes, 50c. and $1.00. With our guarantee back of it, you certainly take no risk. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. Craig's Drug Store.

Public Sale

The undersigned will offer at Public sale on the premises on Donner avenue, near Third street, Monessen, Pa., on Saturday, March 23 at 1 o'clock p. m., sharp. the following personal property formerly of Miller and Luce Transfer Co., viz: One bay team, one gray team, piano moving outfit, 2 road wagons, 2 dump wagons, 1 horse wagon, 3 transfer wagons, 3 flat wagons, chains, ropes and blocks, safe and office fixtures, all harness, 3 pair rain blankets, sleds and trailer, gas tank, trucks, 3 pair spreaders, 7 crowbars, coal chute, automobile truck, and other articles. terms made known on day of sale by

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The New Stunning Garments for Men, Women and Children, we are now receiving daily from our New York Tailor Shops, surpass all past records of this popular store.

Suits, Coats and Dresses

If you are one of those who aim to lead, be sure to get one of our advanced styles,

Prices **$9.50** to **$25.00**

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Spring Suits for Men

The first shipment of Fine Suits in the newest Spring Fabrics, is here, for Men and Young Men

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Ladies' Hats, Waists, Skirts and Petticoats

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD

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520 Donner Ave. Monessen, Pa.

DON'T FORGET

that Staudenmayer pays you 5% discount on every dollar's worth of Bread you buy of him.

Come and see how it is done.

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Eggs for sale from prize winning stock

FREE! FREE!

A fine water tumbler will be given away free with every 50c purchase or more. We carry a complete line of graniteware, glassware, dishes of all kinds, aluminum ware, garden tools and seeds, hotel dishes and bar glasses at lowest prices. Cheapest store in Monessen.

Good service and one price to all. High grade step ladders at low prices. We carry a complete line of 5 and 10c goods.

Pittsburg Racket Store

429 Schoonmaker Avenue

Official Notice

All persons are hereby warned to desist from using the sidewalks as a convenience for placing receptacles such as pop cases, ice cream tubs, beer kegs and other obstructions. Persons guilty after the publication of this notice will be arrested subject to a fine.

42 10 George Graul, Ordinance Officer.

Notice To Dog Owners

All dog owners are notified that they must secure a license for dogs at once. Call at the office of the borough clerk and secure registry number in order to comply with the city ordinance. All owners of dogs not complying with the law on or before April first subject themselves to arrest and their dogs to confiscation.

42-10 George Graul Ordinance Officer.

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Trustful Apolonia

If old Jedediah Haymaster had really bitten all the tenpenny nails in two that people invariably mentioned when called upon to describe his characteristics and abilities, he would have accumulated quite a little scrap iron heap by the time he was sixty-five. As it was, what he had accumulated was the awed dislike of his townsmen and a collection of stocks, bonds and mortgages that would sink a ship.

Jed Haymaster could make money with his eyes shut and one hand tied behind him. Make it he did, with no quarter for the innocent bystander.

Having all these years of practice behind him, it was easy for him to indite the letter to Mrs. Daw. Apolonia Daw had come to town a few years before as the bride of Henry Daw, who had died shortly after. His young widow had continued to reside in the pretty cottage Daw built for her, her small income sufficing for her quiet needs.

Most of this income came in the shape of dividends from her stock in the Haymaster engine works. This stock her husband had purchased cheap when old Jedediah had started this, the tenth of his big enterprises. Jedediah disliked women mixed up in his business affairs and entitled to participate in the annual meetings of stockholders—and, besides, there was soon to be a large extra dividend. Whoever held Mrs. Daw's stock at that happy time naturally would get the fat dividend upon it.

Therefore Jedediah wrote her that it had occurred to him that she might like to invest her money in government bonds or something else solid and trustworthy instead of having it in engine stock, which, while good, might be seriously affected by some unexpected disaster. He would, in the generosity of his heart, take her stock off her hands, now that the dangers of possessing it had been made clear to her, and he remained hers respectfully.

Apolonia Daw wrote back on paper faintly scented with violets. She said she certainly appreciated his deep interest in her affairs, because she had found very little genuine kindness in a business way since she had been left alone It touched her greatly. But the fact that he was at the head of the engine works gave her such a sense of security that she had never worried a bit about her stock. The Haymaster engine works was just as solid as the Bank of England to her with his keen judgment and strong hand at the helm. So, thanking him again, she remained his most gratefully.

Jedediah read this with his face screwed up in a tight knot. "The woman's more of fool than most of 'em!" he said as he dipped his pen in ink. "She hasn't sense enough to get scared!"

This time he wrote that her trust in him was, indeed, flattering, but that he was only a weak, human man who did not claim infallible judgment and he could not bear to have it upon his conscience if she should suffer financially through him Of course the engine works were as solid as any, but he begged to point out to her that industrial stocks fluctuated unexpectedly sometimes. They were delicate. He considered it his duty to look out for her. So great was his concern that he would offer her $5 a share above par value

Apolonia answered that she wished there were more men like Mr Haymaster in this hard world. Things would take on a far different aspect then. She said there were tears in her eyes as she wrote and that she would be less than a woman if she felt the slightest quiver of doubt in the engine works under his guidance, while, if she descended to the depths of selling her stock, she would really be an object of contempt No, she assured him, she never would be ungrateful or foolish enough to think she could better herself by getting rid of her engine stock. Again she was his most gratefully.

Jedediah gazed at this epistle hostilely and breathed hard. "Yet she can't be as all-fired smart as she must be if she isn't a fool!"

So he called on Mrs. Daw that evening on the way home She fluttered to welcome him as though he were her dearest friend and clasped his hand warmly. Jedediah, really looking at her for the first time in his life, saw how very pretty she was.

"I called," he said, "about that stock. I don't seem to have made myself clear in my letters. You worry me, Mrs. Daw, with your sublime woman's ignorance of business affairs."

Apolonia leaned forward and looked Jedediah fairly in the eyes. 'Dear Mr. Haymaster," she said, sweetly, "I wouldn't have you worry about me for the world! And you made yourself quite clear! I think it would have been brilliantly clear even if I had been as ignorant as you thought me! You see, I know all about that extra dividend that is coming. I'm going to marry your son and he told me about that dividend some time ago. But I appreciate your interest!"

Jedediah Haymaster stared. Then he suddenly held out his hand.

"You win," he said, briefly, "and I guess we need you in the family. You're too smart to run around on your own account, Apolonia!"

Republican Announcement

According to the Republican party of Westmoreland County, the primary election will be held at the several polling places on Saturday the 13th day of April 1912 between the hours of 2 p. m. and 8 p m. We nominate,

One person for Congress.

One person for State Senator.

Two Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Eastern District.

Three Members or Assemblymen for the State Legislature Western District.

Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Delegates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Alternates to the National Republican Convention.

Two Delegates to the State Republican Convention, Eastern District.

Five Delegates to the State Republican Convention Western District.

The following persons have complied with all the rules governing the Republican party.

FOR STATE SENATOR
Joseph A. McCurdy, of Greensburg.
Chester D. Sensenich, of Irwin.
Denna C. Ogden, of Greensburg.

FOR STATE DELEGATE
(2nd District)
A. N. Shuster of Monessen.
G. H. Thomas, Monessen,
(Roosevelt Delegate)
J. Q. Watters, West Newton
(Roosevelt Delegate)

FOR CONGRESS
Edward E. Robbins, of Greensburg, Pa.
A. L. Keister, of Scottdale, Pa.

ASSEMBLY
(1st Dist.)
W. W. Ulerich, Latrobe, Pa.
Lloyd C. Koontz, Mt. Pleasant
Samuel Neel, Mt. Pleasant
(2nd Dist.)
S. C. Daugherty, Jeannette
Harry E. Black, Greensburg
C. L. Schuck, Monessen
John F. Ely Jeannette, Pa.
F. J. McAllister, New Kensington
E. F. Dickey, New Kensington.

DELEGATE TO NATIONAL CONVENTION
Reynolds Laughlin, New Kensington, Pa. (Roosevelt Delegate)
John M. Jamieson, Greensburg
John C. Dight, Butler County
(Roosevelt delegate)
William C. Peoples, Greensburg
(Roosevelt Delegate)
Dr. E. L. Wooson, Butler County
Chester D. Sensenich.
Chairman Republican Committee.

AN ORDINANCE

An Ordinance to provide for the licensing of transient retail merchants, fixing the license thereof and providing a penalty for the violation thereof.

Be it ordained and enacted by the Council of the Borough of Monessen, and it is hereby enacted and ordained by the authority of the same.

Section 1st. That it shall be unlawful for every person, whether principal or agent, entering into, beginning or desiring to begin, a transient, retail business in the Borough of Monessen for the sale of any goods, wares or merchandise whatsoever, whether the same shall be represented or held forth to be bankrupt, assignees, or about to quit business, or of goods damaged by fire, water or otherwise, unless such person or persons shall first have procured or taken out a license for the conduct of such business from the proper authorities of the Borough.

Section 2. The license fee to be paid by the person or persons engaged or desiring to engage in such business shall not be less than twenty-five, ($25 00), dollars nor more than two hundred ($200.00) dollars per month, or fractional part thereof, to be paid to the treasurer of the Borough. Such license to be renewed monthly during the continuance of said sale, and upon the failure of said person or persons to secure such license, he, she or they shall be fined, upon conviction, in a sum not less than One Hundred Dollars nor more than Two Hundred Dollars, to be collected as other fines are collected, and in default of payment of said fine, to be imprisoned in the County Jail for a period not exceeding thirty days.

Section 3. All ordinances, or parts of ordinances, inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Ordained and enacted in Council this first day of March, 1912.

Geo. H. Stevens,
President of Council.

Attest:
J. E. Pittman
Clerk.

Approved this 1st day of March, 1912.

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Burgess.

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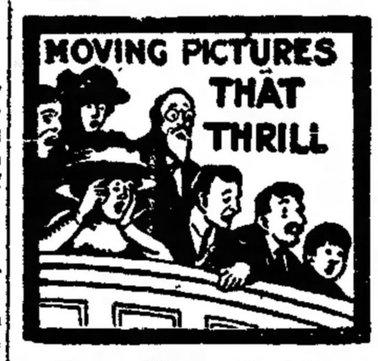

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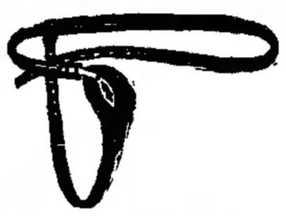

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Republican Announcements

FOR CONGRESS
Twenty-second District
HON. EDWARD E. ROBBINS
of Greensburg
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13

FOR ASSEMBLY
District No. 2
F. J. McALLISTER
of New Kensington
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13

E. F. DICKEY,
of New Kensington
Subject to the decision of the Republican voters, April 13th.
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THE PRESIDENT'S ECONOMY RECORD

Taft Insists That Government Be Run on Sound Business Basis.

HIS PROGRESSIVE POLICY.

His Personal Efforts to Reduce Cost of Efficient Service Bring Results—Business Methods Applied—Economy and Efficiency Commission Fought by Democrats.

President Taft more than any of his predecessors in the White House has given strict attention to placing the government upon a business basis as regards its receipts and expenditures. Economy and efficiency became one of the cardinal policies of his administration as soon as he entered upon the presidency, and it was well for the country that this was so, for his administration inherited a deficit in the treasury of $58,000,000, which has now been transformed into a surplus of $30,000,000. The average citizen and taxpayer will be interested in this fact, because the problem which confronted the president at the outset, although upon a gigantic scale, was similar to that of the ordinary shopkeeper or business man, farmer or wage earner or even housewife who is called upon to make "both ends meet" either in business or in the home.

By law the secretary of the treasury is called upon every year to submit to congress in December the "estimates" of governmental expenditures for the next fiscal year, beginning the following July 1. As congress has to provide the money to run the government, the money has to be appropriated for specific purposes before it can be expended, and if this were not done before the beginning of the fiscal year the machinery of government would stop unless emergency provision could be made.

How Estimates Are Made.

The "estimates" are prepared by the executive departments of which each member of the cabinet is a head. The cabinet officers get the "estimates" in their respective departments from their chiefs of bureaus and then combine them as the "estimates" for the department. The "estimates" from all departments are then sent to the secretary of the treasury to be submitted to congress, and they then become the "estimates" for the cost of running the entire government during the next fiscal year. Upon these figures congress makes the greater part if its appropriations, amounting to more than $1,000,000,000 annually.

Until 1908 a more or less lax method of making estimates for the annual appropriations obtained throughout the government. The figures sent to congress each year, instead of showing indications of a careful "pruning" all along the line, showed there was a disposition among the departments to vie with each other in getting as large appropriations as possible without considering whether or not the money demanded could be advantageously expended during the coming year. There was no standardization of supplies, and the various departments were paying varying prices for the same article.

What President Taft Did.

As soon as President Taft took office this system ceased. At the outset President Taft impressed upon his cabinet officials the absolute necessity of economy and efficiency in their departments. He admonished them that not a dollar beyond what was necessary to run the government efficiently in their departments, including a fair margin for progress, which is a part of efficiency in the program of President Taft, should be asked of congress. The effect was immediate. Every department began work at once to investigate its own expenditures and to devise ways and means of curtailing extravagances. The result was that congress received the lowest estimates it had seen in years. This was followed by a reduction in appropriations to correspond, always allowing for the natural growth of the government's activities, which represented a net saving to the taxpayers of the country.

President Taft was not, however, satisfied that all had been done that could be done. He realized that the departments of the government, like individuals, are naturally prone to be proud of their own achievements and by reason of their familiarity with their own endeavors often insisted that their work was more important than the work of the other departments, relatively speaking. In order to correct that evil he asked congress to give him $100,000 for a commission of disinterested experts to investigate and report on the business of the government, with a view to further economy and efficiency. Thus came into official being the commission of that name.

This commission, among other duties, was directed to prepare the receipts and expenditures of the government on a "budget" basis, which is the system followed by practically all the leading nations of the world except the United States. Under this system it is possible for the humblest citizen to analyze the finances of the government at any time and to lay his finger upon the responsible political party in the event of extravagance or of stinginess. The system under which appropriations for the government of the United States have been made has even defied the experts in their endeavors to unravel the tangled skeins of expenditures, so that it is a fair statement to say that no citizen of this country up to the present time has ever thoroughly understood where his taxes were expended.

The President's Position.

At the present time the Democratic house of representatives is endeavoring to end the usefulness of the economy and efficiency commission by cutting off its appropriations. In a recent appeal to congress for funds to continue the great work it has begun, which all thinking men and women will approve, President Taft pointed out that the people of the country as a whole are interested chiefly in the following governmental objects: The national defense, the protection of persons and property, the promotion of friendly relations and the protection of American interests abroad, the regulation of commerce and industry, the promotion of agriculture, fisheries, forestry and mining, the promotion of manufacturing, commerce and banking, the promotion of transportation and communication, the postal service, including postal savings banks and parcels post; the care and utilization of the public domain, the promotion of education, art and science and recreation; the promotion of public health and the care and education of the Indians and other wards of the nation. There are many other public questions, of course, but these are the vital and comprehensive ones, and the "budget" is proposed for the purpose of giving information as to the needs of these matters. The president, in order that his policy of economy and efficiency may be concluded and become one of the greatest achievements of his administration—that of placing the government on a business basis—wants congress to appropriate $250,000 more for the support of the commission now doing that work.

The economy and efficiency commission has already saved to the taxpayers of the country more than $3,000,000 annually by its suggestions and by the time it has completed its work it is believed ten times this sum can be saved annually to the taxpayers. In the matter of railroad fare for government officials alone it has found that $12,000,000 was expended in a single year at the highest prevailing railroad rates. At least a fourth of this can be saved by the application of business methods such as President Taft has applied and has insisted shall be applied to all the departments of the government.

"On the 4th of March next I shall have served three and a half years, and this three and a half years shall constitute my first term. The wise custom which limits the President to two terms regards the substance and not the form. AND UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL I BE A CANDIDATE FOR OR ACCEPT ANOTHER NOMINATION."
ELECTION NIGHT STATEMENT OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT NOV. 8, 1904.
I WILL ACCEPT THE NOMINATION FOR PRESIDENT IF IT IS TENDERED ME.
T. ROOSEVELT
OYSTER BAY N.Y. FEB 25, 1912

THE RECALL OF A DECISION.

Real Enemy of Aeroplane.

One still often reads comments on the effects of musketry on aeroplanes, usually written by those who have probably never seen the effect of bullets fired from a distance. It has been truly said that to hit a "rocketing" aeroplane with a rifle shot is an extremely difficult matter, but to conclude that the aviator is therefore immune when at 1,000 feet up is absurd, says Sir Baden-Powell. It is not the danger from one marksman that has to be taken into account, but volleys from a whole battalion. If 3,000 or 4,000 shots be fired at a machine while it traverses one hundred yards, there is a good chance of its sustaining some danger so long as it is well within range. It is, however, the Maxim gun that seems likely to be the most formidable enemy of the aeroplane. All such guns must in future be mounted in such a way as to enable them to be fired nearly vertically.

How to Use a Life Preserver.

"The worst trouble about a life preserver," said an old sailor, "is that few people know what to do with one when it's thrown to them. Many a man would drown in trying to get a life preserver over his head.

"The average person struggling about in the water would try to lift up the big life ring and put it over his head. That only causes the man to sink deeper and take more water into his lungs.

"The proper way to approach a life preserver in the water is to take hold of the side nearest you and press upon it with all your weight. That causes the other side to fly up in the air and on over your head, 'ringing' you as tly as a man ringing a cane at a ty fair. After that the drowning can be rescued."—From the ican Boy.

Sleep the Fountain of Youth.

Any number of women who are cutting ruthlessly into their allowance to swell the cash drawer of the beauty parlors could solve the riddle of appearing fresh and animated if they would but make a practice of taking the proper amount of sleep.

The value of sleep as a restorative and as a fountain of youth is unbelievable until one has bathed regularly therein. It almost seems magic in its effect and many a woman who has discovered the secret is the envy and admiration of her beauty parlor friends.

Eight hours for work, eight hours for sleep and eight for play is the old rule. Up to now no one has improved on this proportion. If you care more for the preservation of your youth and attractiveness than of your pleasure take not less than the allotted eight hours of sleep from the 24.

Quail Hatches Chicken.

An incident of some interest is reported from the Woodland neighborhood. Last week on the farm of W. L. Riley of that vicinity a quail's nest was found in which a hen had laid an egg. With this was found the usual number of quail eggs.

The last of the week the hen egg hatched and the quail seemed to lose all interest in her own eggs and turned her attention to the chick, leaving her nest and disappearing with it. Some of the quail eggs were broken and showed that they would have been hatched in another week.—Morganfield Post.

The Latest Cut.

The young man was disconsolate. Said he: "I asked her if I could see her home." "Why, certainly," she answered; "I will send you a picture of it."—Ladies' Home Journal.

Great Attraction—"Nine Jolly Juveniles" at the Star Theatre—Great Attraction

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Dry Goods Store That Gives Silver Trading Stamps

Only dependable merchandise will be offered in this sale and the bargains are remarkable. Prospective June brides should take advantage of this sale and add some choice things to the linen closet.

Saturday & Monday are Housekeepers' Days

Seamless sheets, size 2¼x2½, have deep hem, made of good strong durable muslin, well worth 89 cents, sale price only..... 69c

Bolster Cases, made of good weight muslin, all ready for use, regular 50c values, specially priced Housekeepers' Day for..... 35c

Seamless sheets, hemstiched sheets full 2¼x2½, made of extra fine round thread muslin, absolutely free from all dressing, worth $1.25 at... 89c

Pillow cases, have deep hem, made of linen finish muslin size 42x36, worth 15 cents, special price for Housekeepers' Day at..... 11c

Bed spreads, hemmed, double bed size, heavy crochet, splendid patterns, special price for Housekeepers' Day for..... $1.00

Blankets and comforts, good cotton material, large size worth $1.25 and $1.50, special price for Housekeepers' Day at..... 89c

Bed Spreads hemmed and fringed, heavy croclirst, lovely patterns, are worth $2.50. Sale price.. $1.79

Crash, pure linen Barnsly and Russian for Roller and Tea Towels. Good weight and absolutely all pure linen, white and colored border. Well worth 12 1-2c. Sale price 9c

Bed Spreads, hemmed, fringed and scalloped, the kind that everyone admires on the bed. Regular $3.00 value at $2.19

Feather Pillows blue and white striped ticking, are worth $1.50. Housekeeper's Day price per pair 98c

Table Linen—58 inches, wide, nice selection of patterns, good wearing quality 29c value per yard 19c

Huck towels, neatly hemmed, good size and weihht, fast colored border, special price for Housekeepers' Day at..... 8⅓c

Table linen, mercerized beautiful satin finish, 64 inches wide, will always retain its luster, worth 55c a yard at..... 39c

Colored scrim and curtain net in dainty colored and floral patterns, a 35c value for Housekeepers' Day at per yard..... 19c

Scarfs and centers, hemstiched with one row drawn work, 29c values, special price for Housekeepers' Day at. only..... 19c

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An ideal preparation of this sort is Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy, in which Sage and Sulphur are combined with other valuable remedies for scalp troubles and thin, weak hair that is losing its color or coming out. After using this remedy for a few days, you will notice the color gradually coming back, your scalp will feel better, the dandruff will soon be gone, and in less than a month's time there will be a wonderful difference in your hair.

Don't neglect your hair if it is full of dandruff, losing its color or coming out. Get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and see what a few days' treatment will do for you. All druggists sell it, under guarantee that the money will be refunded if the remedy is not exactly as represented.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cadwallader are visiting in McKeesport today.

Popular music— 15c. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner aveeu . 13-tf

W. H. Farquhar of Suterville has returned home after a visit here with relatives.

Seeds for early planting at Beck's Drug Store. 46-3t

Mrs. W. F. Seanor and daughter, Reah, are visitors in McKeesport this afternoon.

Elastic stockings, anklets and knee caps. See Kirk's window.

W. I. Risheberger left this afternoon for New Kensington for a short business trip.

Pura Greaseless cream, soothing and healing, 25c at Kirk's.

Miss Stelle Brautegam is expected home this evening from Wheeling, W. Va., where she has been attending school.

Don't fail to see the ghost dance at the Elk's Minstrels. 45-3t

Mrs. David Madigan has returned to her home in Weirton, W. Va., after a short visit here with her parents.

Elastic supports and bandages, see Kirk's window.

Miss Garnet Rhodes of New Castle, is here for a week end visit with her sister Miss Stella Rhodes of McKee avenue.

Plant Sweet Peas now. Don't wait for fair weather. ½ pound 15 cents 40 cents per pound. Beck's, 6th and Donner. 46-3t

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Feightner, have gone to McKeesport where they will spend Saturday and Sunday visiting friends

Always EDDY for drugs.

Miss Gertrude Sweeney of Pittsburgh, is the guest of Miss Marie Sheetz at her home on Schoonmaker avenue for several days.

Vicks lawn seed only at Beck's Drug Store. 46-3t

The members of the I. O. O. F. lodge were entertained last evening in the Elks' hall on Donner avenue by the ladies of the Rebekah lodge.

Sheet music—15c, seven for $1. KEEFER & ROBINS 403 Donner avenue. 13 tf

Mrs. Catherine Stevenson left last evening for an indefinite stay with relatives at New York City, being called their by the illness of relatives.

"Suzzie" the base drum soloest at the Elk's Minstrels March 28, 29 and April 1 45 3t

Carl Bumbaugh returned to Mercersburg Academy last evening, after a ten days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs W. S. Bumbaugh of McKee avenue.

Shoulder braces and trusses. See Kirk's window.

One of the recent business acquisitions to the town is the W. A. Miller Motor Transfer Co. Mr. Miller has made a real metropolitan step in his business.

Paper cleaner and other house cleaning supplies at Beck's 6th and Donner. 46-3t

John O'Connell who recently resigned his position as boss heater at the local Tin mill was renewing old acquaintances in McKeesport, his former home, yesterday.

Grand Military first part Elk's Minstrels, Thursday, Friday and Monday. 45-3t

The street department is busy at work cleaning out the sewers that have been partially clogged in some places owing to the heavy rains of the last few days.

Kirk makes a specialty of made to order, elastic supports and stockings. Have your doctor take the meaure. We will deliver goods in five days. Kirk's Drug store.

The report yesterday that John N. Dixon of California was dead, proved erroneous. Mr. Dixon has been quite sick for some time and the report originated from that source in all probability.

New "Rag" and old "Standards" in music, 10 and 15c at KEEFER & ROBINS. 403 Donner ave. 13tf

Gus Panos was a business visiter in McKeesport yesterday afternoon where he is finding a good market for well-known shoe polishes and other products from the local factory of the Athenian Products Co.

Miss Eva Cook, left last evening for Washington, Pa., where she will visit for a few days with C. F. Lewis, and while there will attend the Junior Prom at W. and J. college which event is to be held this evening.

Axel Allison, foreman of the Fence department of the Pittsburgh Steel was attending to several business affairs at his former home in Rankin yesterday afternoon.

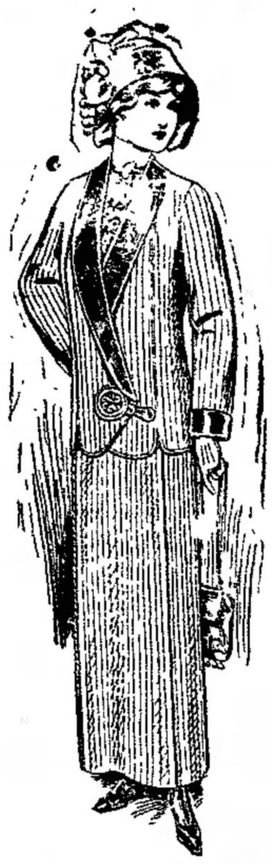
Officials of the Pittsburgh Railways company were looking over the ground between Citsburg and Black Diamond on the Pittsburgh and Charleroi lines yesterday with a view of building a double track line between the two places and also considering other improvements.

Theo. Roosevelt will not make a speech in Monessen next week but the Elk's Minstrels will hold forth at the Star Thursday and Friday. 45-3t

Come, Enjoy and Profit

Enjoy the new Fashions in their Freshness and Profit by these Special Introductory Prices.

Here are the real, worth-while Spring fashions, such as will be worn throughout the breadth and length of the land by America's best dressed women. They were carefully selected weeks ago, Now they are conveniently arranged for your inspection and priced with a sensible moderation that is sure to appeal to all who seek not only good styles but good values as well.



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Smart Spring Suits

An extensive and authoritative presentation of the newest models, eclipsing in beauty, variety and value any ever shown by this store or elsewhere.

The New Spring Coats

are exceptional Examples of Smartness and Value.

Our collection comprises a good variety of the season's newest and best styles — all priced especially to meet your wants and yet really inexpensive, the quality and style considered.

Your Spring Coat is here, the prices range from $7.95 to $22.50.

We invite your closest inspection as to material and workmanship.

The New Silks

are marvels of Freshness and beauty.

Novelty weaves, charming patterns and beautiful new Spring in Foulards, Voiles, Messalines, Crepes, Batiste and many others.

27 inch Silk Voiles, beautiful range of colors. Special..... **50c** per yard

36 inch Silk Foulards, dainty patterns, extraordinary special at..... **$1.00** per yard

32 inch fancy Figured Silk, regular 50c value. Special for this great event..... **33c**

New Spring Dress Goods

in radiant patterns and colors.

Dame fashion must have worked over time creating novel effects in dress fabrics for Spring and early Summer wear—You'll find the best of them here.

27 inch Cotton Voile, range of patterns, regular 25c valne. Special..... **19c**

Silk Zephyrs, beautiful range of colors, Special..... **25c**

Something dainty in tissue Rays for Spring. Special at..... **15c**

Laces and Embroideries

from the Leading Trimming Ideas for Spring

We're ready with the finest and most complete assortment we've ever shown, at the lowest prices we ever quoted so early in the season

Laces of every description from 1c up.

Beautiful line of Embroidered and Beading Edgings from 5½c up.

27 inch Flouncing, from 25c to 89c

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"No, indeed, my dear. I gave my old suit to the Monessen Laundry & Cleaning Co. to be cleaned and pressed and here it is. It certainly looks like a new one." What another new suit would cost you can often be saved by having your worn suits renovated in our cleaning and pressing department.

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Barred Plymouth Rocks

Eggs for Hatching, $1.00 to $5.00 per setting.

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HIGH GRADE LIQUID PAINTS

We sell "High Standard" and the entire Lowe Brothers line, because we are satisfied ourselves that we can give our trade most for their money in selling these reliable "Little Blue Flag" paint products.

Let us talk over with you your paint needs

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LOOK! LOOK!

This is the time to save money on your table. If you want good meat at the best prices, call and see DeMont's Meat and Butter Store

10 lb. leaf Lard	$1 00	Stewing Lamb	10c
Bacon	15c	Hamburger	15c
Prime Rib Roast	15c	3 lb. bucket Lard	75c
Chuck Roast	14c	5 lb. bucket Lard	5oc
Boiling Meat	8c to 10c	50lb. can lard	$3.5o
Tenderloin Steak	18c	Home Dressed Chicken	35c
Sirloin Steak	18c		
Round Steak	15c	**BUTTER**	
Fresh Ham	15c	5 lb Good Luck	$1.15
Pork Sausage	15c	1 lb. Gold Cream	25c
Hindquarter Lamb	17c	1 lb. Meadow Flower	28c
		3 lb. Daisy Roll	60

We handle Van Dyk's teas and coffee. All teas, 40c lb., coffee, 30c lb. Saturday and Monday we give each customer making a $1.00 cash purchase $2.00 worth of Silver Coupon Certificates.

We Handle SILVER COUPON CERTIFICATES.

DeMont's Cash Market

436 Donner Avenue Monessen, Pa.

Read These Prices

25 lb. Sack of Sugar	$1.50
5 lb. Pail of Good Luck	1.15
5 lb. 4 X Special	1.00
Gold Kreme, per lb.	.28
4 X Special, per lb.	.25
3 lb. Country Roll	.65
3 lb. Country Roll	.55
2 lb. Peanut Butter	.25
Fresh Country Eggs, dozen	.25
All kinds of Tea, mixed to suit, lb.	.50

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Among the Theatres

OLYMPIC

The pictures today at the Olympic are four of the latest reels of the best known moving picture manufacturers in the country. "The Home Strike Breakers," a story of how imported strike breakers are not always necessary. "For Her Sake" a dramatic love story with a lesson of great value to all. "Royal's Horses," a novelty picture of animals that is sure to please everone especially the children and a big two reel feature "Ruined By His Own Son," one of the latest and most remarkable pictures ever produced.

Tonight a big vaudeville bill presenting ten people in an amusing comedy skit entitled "Memories of By-gone Days." This is one of the biggest attractions yet and the scenes are laid in "The Olde Kuntry Schule." As an added attraction, the Pfeil sisters, child acrobats, extraordinary. 1t

All this week at the Olympic theatre, Sig. Antonio Perrone will sing at each performance, one popular and one operatic number. A musical treat secured as an extra feature. 42-4t

THE BIJOU

Two excellent features are being shown today at the Bijou in addition to the regular program making three of the best reels of pictures in all. "How The Play Was Advertised," a very amusing comedy of how a big city production is advertised when it goes on the road. "Mother Love" one of the most beautiful dramas of its kind, showing a mother's love for her only son and the sacrifices she makes for him. Other good pictures and our special orchestra. 1t

THE LUNA

"The Spartan Mother" at the Luna today is a thrilling story of scenes and romances of the Civil War days and is one of the finest war pictures ever made. The mother sacrifices her son to the cause even though it almost rends her heart in two to do it. A picture that should not be missed by anyone. Other good pictures will also be shown. 1t

"The Spartan Mother" in two reels and other pictures at the Luna today. 1t

May Make Steel Railroad Ties

It is said that the United States Steel Tie Co. will soon begin the erection of a plant near Pittsburgh probably in the Monongahela valley, for the manufacture of steel ties. The management, with offices in the Oliver building, Pittsburgh, are now communicating with industrial bodies, boards of trade, etc., in this section regarding a site, and just as soon as that site has been chosen the work will begin. It is said on good authority. We'd be only too pleased to welcome this enterprise to Monessen. The more the merrier.

Clark's Millinery Opening

The spring opening at Clak's millinery establishment in the opera house building at the head of Fifth street on Schoonmaker avenue will be on Tuesday next, March 26, and we direct attention to the announcement on another page. During the day and evening all visitors will be cordially welcomed. All this season's latest paterns will be shown and it will pay to attend the opening. Souvenirs will be given all ladies.

Transfer Company Moves

The office of the A. Marple Transfer and Storage Co., has been moved from it's former location 259 Donner to the vacant lot near the corner of Third street and Donner avenue, for the time being. This move was made in order that work might be begun shortly on the new lumber yard that is to be located at the former yards of theMarple people.

TO INSTITUTE THE HOME GUARDS

A fraternal insurance society, thoroughly American, with strong reserve features offers a very attractive form of protection to both men and women between the ages of 16 to 55 years.

The class C policy with its extended insurance offers what no other fraternal society is offering.

Class D provides the best form sick and accident protection at the lowest possible adequate rate.

All rates based on National Fraternal Congress Experience Table, a dollar buys a full dollar's worth of protection social features unsurpassed. Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Davenport, the field deputies are located at 541 Schoonmaker avenue, call or drop a card and they will be pleased to call on you and explain the advantages of this throughly modern organization. 46-Fri.-Tues.

To Hold a Bake Sale

Watch! Wait!' Remember!!!

The Ladies' Aid society of the St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a bake sale on Saturday afternoon April 6, at the drug stores of G. R. Eddy and W. P. Kirk

PROFESSOR READ THE SIGNS

But Companion Had Doubts About Character of Boy, Despite Expert Opinion.

The professor who reads character from physiognomy pointed to the boy opposite. He belonged to the criminal type, said the professor. Look at his eyes, his ears, his cheek bones, his mouth—criminal, every one of them.

The boy sat very still. All about him were other boys swinging ball bats, and cuffing each other's ears, but that, the professor said, was only the natural overflow of animal spirits; the quiet boy was too thoroughly steeped in criminality to have any animal spirits Just as the professor's companion was beginning to wonder if it was safe to ride in the same car with the youthful degenerate the boy reached down into his pocket and brought forth a white flower. It was a common field flower, a cluster of tiny white blossoms topping a slender stalk. The boy seemed very fond of it. He twirled the stalk, he stroked the leaves and petals, and every touch was soft and tender. But the professor had no eyes for those gentle fingers, he was intent on the unmistakable signs of inherited depravity.

"A bad one, he is, all right," said the professor with a solemn shake of the head.

But the other person looked at the flower again. A bad one, was he? Maybe; but the other person had doubts

THE BEST BUY OF THE SEASON

Ladies Whip Cord Suits - - - $20.00

White and Colored Serges, fancy trimmed **$15.00**

YOU WANT A QUANTITY. A revelation in value giving. It's a quality garment, hand-buffed edges, built on shrunken canvas, haircloth busts, tailored for wear and service.

Ladies' and Misses' sizes.

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Gray and the new shade of tan whip cords, price $20.00

White, navy, copenhagen and tan serges, price $15.00

THE STYLE—The season's best model, 26 inch coat, deep rolling lapels, mannish top pocket, wide lapping fronts, one side effect skirts, side pleated, panel back.

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We have just received our new styles for spring and they are beauties. We did not believe such footwear possible at the price. Smart, snappy styles with plenty of comfort and service—just what you have been looking for. You will buy here eventually if you value a dollar—why not today.

BEAR in mind that we specialize on all mens and womens footwear at the popular price of $3.00. If you are not a customer we respectfully solicit your trade and ask for an inspection of our line before you make your purchase. We are showing a most complete line of Shoes and Oxfords for Youths, Misses and Children A better selection cannot be found outside of the large cities — price from 49c to $1 95

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FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY

CUT PRICE SHOE SALE

We want you to become acquainted with the new store—if quality, styles and extremely low price are any inducement we will see you. You will find the right shoes at the right price.

Shoes for Men. Women and Children at Cut Prices

LADIES' SHOES

$2.00 Ladies' shoes in Gun Metal and Vici Kid, button or lace, high or low heel **$1.48**

$3.00 Pingree shoes for women in Vici Kid and Gun Metal, all good styles. You cannot afford to miss these shoes **$2.38**

$3.00 Ladies' fine dress shoes, lace or button, all leathers. Latest styles **$1.98**

$3.50 Tan shoes, 7 inch top, on new hi-toe last, all sizes. These are beauties **$2.48**

MEN'S SHOES

One lot of men's $3,00 shoes in Tan or Black. We have both work and dress shoes in this lot **$1.98**

$2.00 work shoes for men, heavy Chrome tan leather. All sizes. Examine these **$1.48**

One lot of Pingree $4.00 shoes for men in Tan, Gun Metal or patent Colt, button or lace **$2.98**

$3.50 Tan Russia Calf dress shoes for men, button or lace, latest styles **$2.98**

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